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THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1906.

The Puritanical tendency of a large element of legislators in the Kentucky General Assembly was somewhat checked by the Senate Corporation Committee postponing action indefinitely on the Gillenwaters Anti-cigarette bill.

The Singer Manufacturing Co. is preparing to erect a tower 593 feet 10 1/2 inches high to its remodeled building in New York City. It will be the loftiest structure in the world except the Eiffel Tower at Paris. It is a more ambitious person projects a higher one.

The U. S. Senate passed the Pure Food bill by a vote of 65 to 4. It applies to U. S. territories and interstate commerce, and includes foods, drugs, medicines and liquors. It being made a misdemeanor to manufacture or sell adulterated articles of those classes. It is a good bill and has been needed for a long time.

The Dog Tax bill has been passed by the Ky. General Assembly and is in the hands of the Governor for his signature or veto. It provides for taxing each dog one dollar, the tax to go to a fund to pay sheep owners for sheep killed by dogs. All dogs on which the tax is not paid must be killed by certain county officers. If it becomes a law there will be a mighty howling.

The Ky. General Assembly seems to be devoting a large portion of its energies to getting the utmost out of the taxpayers and devising new methods to spend it, without caring to stop needless and extravagant expenditures. Then, too, the Jeffersonian idea that the least governed people are the best governed people is held in such utter contempt that it is sought to extend the already plethoric statutory and already plethoric statutory unnecessary legislation until it is a little better off than it is in a penal institution.

GEN. CHARLES H. GROSVENOR, of Ohio, was defeated for the renomination for Congress by Albert Douglas by 78 to 29. Gen. Grosvenor has been in the House for twenty-two years, and has been one of the mighty Republican partisans for many years. He is now one of the three members of the Committee on Rules, which makes the Speaker the autocrat of the House. He could always show the figures to prove that the Republicans would win an election. His ability lay in the line of partisanship rather than in statesmanship, though his long service made him peculiarly apt and formidable in debate.

Secretary of War Taft, on Washington's birthday, at Chicago, emphasized in a speech the need of this country being prepared for war and recommended a regular army of 100,000 men. Secretary of the Navy Taft, at the same time, at Baltimore, made a similar appeal for a 35,000 man navy. They speak wisely, but Uncle Sam could better afford it if he would stop useless and extravagant expenditures in many ways and would abolish unnecessary offices and clerkships. Then, too, that pension extravagance could well be brought within the bounds of reason. It is nearly forty years since the Civil war closed and the annual pension appropriations are simply preposterous.

The County Unit bill, which has occupied so much of the Ky. General Assembly's time, has no merit. Incorporated towns should be left to their own government since liquor license is an important method of raising revenue to pay running expenses of said towns. The voters in those towns wish to raise revenue by that method the right to do so should be left to them. The principle of home rule emphatically applies in that instance. We have an example in this town of the difficulty of running a town without saloon license, having to substitute an odious license tax on all business and professions to take out the town's revenue by direct taxation. The overwhelming sentiment of those who are required to pay the license tax is opposed to it.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

Springfield.

Mr. Lizzie Atkinson is improving slowly after her illness.

W. E. Turner bought a cow at Mr. Fodders sale for \$81.60.

Miss Mabel Smathers returned to her home at Mt. Sterling, accompanied by her cousin Miss Pearl Taylor, who will spend several days there.

Misses Miranda Fleming, Anna Bromberg and Lulu Smathers, accompanied by Elsie Robertson, will leave for Florida, as he is in bad health.

attended the Frewitt-Robertson wedding, near Somerset.

Hillsboro.

A. A. Day moved to Flemingburg last week.

Miss Ida Markwell is convalescent after an illness of a few days.

Miss J. K. Emmons and children, of Owingsville, visited Mrs. J. A. Dowd and wife last week.

Little Miss Angie Young Jackson, of Lexington, visited S. A. Dowd and wife last week.

Grange City.

Charles Collier is quite sick with measles.

John R. Cutright bought of S. L. Havens a horse for \$100.

Elgin Sopher has been very sick with measles, but is better now.

Miss Maude Rigdon left Monday for Lebanon, Ohio, where she will attend school.

Mrs. John Rawlings is very poorly at her home near Moore's Ferry with measles.

James Rawlings bought a horse at the sale of Young, (of color), at Poplar Plains, for \$80.

Cave Run.

Clinton Woolley, of Amesville, O., is visiting relatives here.

Tyler McFarland's baby died Tuesday night of whooping cough and was buried Thursday at the Buck Creek burying ground.

Your correspondent was present at the wedding of Chester A. Bundy, of Yale, formerly of St. Mary's, Pennsylvania, and Miss Myrtle Marie Clark, of Frenchburg, which took place at the residence of Thos. Shaw and wife last Sunday at 3 p. m. Brother Roundtree officiated. A sumptuous repast was served and all were entertained by J. R. Jackson's new graphophone in the afternoon.

Forge Hill.

The sick of the community all seem to be improving.

Tom Rawlings bought a horse in Mt. Sterling Monday for \$110.

Charlie Anderson, of Middlesboro, spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother here.

Elder W. A. Williams, who had been making his home in Sweetwater, Ill., for the past three years, has again as pastor of the Christian Church there on account of ill health and went last week to Florida, accompanied by his wife and little son Joseph.

Naylor's Branch.

John T. Latham is on the sick list.

Miss Maggie Carmody, of Flat Creek, visited friends here one night last week.

George Goodpastor bought a load of corn from Robert Goodpastor at \$2.50 a barrel.

The infant of Woodson Norris and wife has been very sick, but is some better now.

Ed Jones and family, of Salt Lick, visited George Goodpastor and family Saturday night.

Joseph Latham and family visited the family of W. T. Latham, at Wyoming, one night last week.

A little child of Willie and Minnie Barber, of Odessa, was buried at the graveyard, on George Latham's place, Monday.

Olympia.

Uncle Dan Blevins is very sick.

Janet Montjoy is on the sick list.

Born, Feb. 20, to James Penix and wife, a boy.

Born, last week to Lafa Frisby and wife, a daughter.

Mrs. Minnie Evans visited her parents here this week.

Mrs. T. Harry visited her daughter at Farmers' last week.

Thomas Jackson, of Covington, was here on business last week.

Mrs. J. Kano, of Louisville, is the guest of friends here this week.

Miss Myrtle Harry visited her sisters at Farmers' last week.

Mrs. Dora Cook, of Louisville, is the guest of her sister Mrs. J. K. Jackson.

Miss May Northcutt visited her aunt Mrs. Hickerson, at Winchester, last week.

Miss Fannie Barber, of Howard's Mill, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Clark this week.

Walter Belcher, of Huntington, W. Va., was here two days last week on business.

Mrs. Jennie Jackson and Miss Anna Turner, were in Mt. Sterling Friday shopping.

Mrs. Burt Jackson and little son returned to their home in West Virginia Saturday.

Charles Kerr, of Lexington, was here surveying a piece of land to George Swarts at \$20 per acre.

Miss Mamie Kincaid, of Stephentown, was the guest of her mother Mrs. J. M. Steele last week.

James Denton is not able to sit up any.

Isaac Flora and Lida Reed are improving slowly.

Nellie Perkins purchased a horse of John Barnett for \$125.

L. C. Cutright, of Grange City, visited relatives here Sunday.

J. M. Hedrick sold his crop of tobacco to George Peed for 75¢.

Mrs. Alpheus Vice visited relatives at Grange City several days last week.

Alpheus Vice sold his crop of tobacco to Trumbo Snedegar for 75¢ per pound.

Lemuel Denton purchased a coming 3-year-old horse of Samuel Darnell for \$75.

Siato Valley.

Miss Lucy Ulery is ill with the measles.

Mrs. Chris Garner and daughter Lottie have measles.

The weather continues warm with rain and thunder last night.

Sam Jones, of Licking river, was the guest of his brother Addie Sunday.

John K. Jones and wife were the guests of the family of Sam Shultz Sunday.

Mrs. Melissa Snedegar visited her daughter Mrs. Newton A. Shront, and family near Owingsville, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Eliza Williams returned home from Illinois Friday, and Elder W. A. Williams, wife and baby went to Florida, the former in quest of health. We sincerely hope that the change will have the desired effect.

Bethel.

Mrs. Sanford Ramey is sick.

Born, to Orin Kieley and wife, a son.

J. W. Emmons moved to Owingsville last week.

Wm. Manley, who has been very sick for two weeks, is improving.

Mrs. L. C. Williams is out again, having recovered from a stroke of paralysis.

Miss Amy Evans, of near Eliza ville, is visiting her sister Mrs. Will Henderson.

W. P. Baird and Ollie Armstrong attended the funeral of Mrs. George Myers, at Millersburg, last week.

J. R. Peters sold his stock of goods at Middlesboro and moved back to Bethel, taking rooms with G. B. Caywood.

Hannah, daughter of Grant Lyman, had the index figure of her left hand cut off Sunday by her brother with an ax.

N. C. Crouch, aged 73, one of our best known citizens, died last week and was buried in Longview Cemetery. He was a Mason of long standing.

The gun club had another shoot last Friday, with the following result: G. B. Caywood, 45 out of 50; Bob Cline, 38; Bob Whaley, 25; Ollie Arrasmith, 20; W. L. Day, 19. This made Ollie Arrasmith's record out of 50 the highest made yet.

The following horse sales were made in this and Sherburne neighborhoods last week: Jerry Whitton to Mr. Boardman at \$195; M. T. Hendrix to same at \$300; W. R. Peters to John English at \$185; Andrew Webb to same at \$150; E. G. Hazelrigg one to same at \$132.50.

Salt Lick.

Mrs. Jesse Steele, we are glad to say, is better.

James Turley and wife visited relatives at Preston Sunday.

Miss Bertie Wren has returned from a visit to Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. Phoebe Cundiff, of Rodburn, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Press Jackson attended the marriage of her sister Miss Bates, in Ashland.

The meeting conducted here by Elder Dawson is still going on and much interest is manifested.

J. D. Green, Earl Ratliff, Roger Muplin and Chas. Gardner left last week for Ridgewood, W. Va., to secure work.

Samuel J. Parsons and Miss Lulu Cundiff surprised their friends by getting married Feb. 21 at the residence of Rev. Ramey. These young people are among our best socially, and have a host of friends who are congratulating them.

About 12:30 o'clock Sunday, as a freight train slowed up at the depot here, Albert Lewis, one of the railway carpenter found at work here, jumped on the train and lost his footing, falling under the wheels, receiving injuries from which he died a short time later. His home was in Carter county.

On Feb. 22, 1906, a very pretty wedding took place at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. K. Bates, in Ashland, the contracting parties being Miss Kathryn Bates and Wirt O. Steele, both of Ashland. The parlor was decorated with a profusion of roses, carnations, smilax and potted plants, forming a beautiful floral bower where the happy couple received the congratulations of friends. The bride was becomingly attired in a suit of blue and white novelty cloth. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a trip to Washington, Baltimore and New York. On their return they will reside in Ashland. The bride is well known here, where she was partly raised and has many friends who wish her all happiness. The groom is a stranger here, but stands high in his home town. He has an important position with the C. & O. railway. Lack of space prevents our giving a list of the handsome presents received.

West End.

S. B. Davis is dangerously ill.

Richard McClain is still very poorly.

Married, Willie D. Carr and Mrs. Pendleton.

John Denton lost a very fine horse Friday by death.

Mrs. W. M. Clayton and daughter visited Mrs. Kate Nickell.

C. L. Carr sold his farm to David Myers. We lose a good citizen, but we also gain one.

W. M. Daniel had an old fashioned "working" Friday. He had 25 hands. We don't know how much work was done, but ample justice was done about 12 o'clock for the good dinner prepared.

Crooks.

Mrs. Will Nixon is sick.

D. S. Nixon bought a horse of Will Carroll for \$65.

Johnnie Johnson bought a mare of Sam Jones for \$50.

Jeff Davis and Cabs Snedegar were in Midland City Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Eldridge is very low; not much hopes of her recovery.

A. C. Jones, of Owingsville, is prizing tobacco here for S. V. Johnson.

J. D. Tarley, wife and daughter, of Salt Lick, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Will Nixon, who is ill, is better today.

Cole Jackson and wife, of Olympia, visited their daughter Mrs. Joe Williams Sunday.

Jones & Pratt, of Madison, North Carolina, shipped a car-load of mules to that point Tuesday.

Died, of dropsy, Feb. 19, Alex. Wells, aged 41. He leaves a wife and seven children to mourn their loss.

Jeff Davis and wife and Charley Teal attended the funeral of their niece Sam Davis, at Wyoming, Saturday.

S. V. Johnson bought of J. W. Blevins his crop of tobacco at 6¢ and Benjie Thomas's crop at a price not learned.

Arthur Barnes bought the storehouse of Cole Barnes and will move it to the same place his store burned a short time ago.

R. E. Wood, of this place, and Miss Effie Carpenter, of Kendall Springs, were married in Owingsville Sunday, Feb. 25, by Elder B. H. Ross.

Stoops.

Mrs. Nannie Byrd continues to improve.

Festus Alfrey, of Campbell, visited here last week.

J. M. Stull and family have moved to Lexington.

Master Hobart Grooms is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Sarah A. Taul has moved to the place she rented near Carlisle.

Tom Moore had a public sale Monday, preparatory to going to Illinois.

Bridges Bros. sold to Carpenter, of Millersburg, a gelding by High land Gay for \$250.

The only fault we can find with the school of experience is that it never turns out any graduates.

Mrs. Marsh Kieck returned Sunday, after a visit to her daughter Mrs. H. Conn, near Poplar Plains.

Pittsburg got gay last week and elected Democratic mayor. Strange things keep happening all along the line.

Wheat and rye is looking extra well in this vicinity. The average of wheat is small, but it promises to be good.

Walter McQuitty, son of Tom McQuitty, of Judy, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, but is convalescing now.

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Leonard Robertson and Miss Nanie Frewitt were married at the home of the bride's parents, Arch Frewitt and wife, near Somerset Church, Wednesday evening, Feb. 21, 1906. A number of friends assembled for the occasion, and with pronounced them man and wife. The bride was Miss Elizabeth Warner; the best man was Miller McClain. Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party went to the home of the groom's uncle, James Robertson, at Grassly Neck, where a reception was given them. On Thursday a reception was given them by the groom's father, Thomas Robertson. Leonard Robertson is the eldest son of Thos. Robertson, and is a whole-souled, industrious young man. He has friends by the score. The bride is the second daughter of Arch Frewitt and wife, and is one of Montgomery's fairest daughters, intelligent and cultured. We extend sincerest congratulations.

Ringo's Mill.

Mrs. Wm. E. Emmons continues very ill.

Born, to the wife of H. P. Maxey, a fine girl. H. P. is all smiles.

Everett Barber moved to his new home near Forge Hill the past week.

Dr. Henry Gilmore is visiting his father, J. W. Gilmore, this week.

Grant Davis and niece Miss Mollie left for Fithian, Ill., Feb. 19 to make their home.

Mr. Clark and Chas. Pierce left Feb. 22 for Potomac, Ill., to remain there for the summer.

Luther Pierce and wife were called to the bedside of the former's mother, who is very ill at Potomac, Ill.

Cattle must be on the boom. I see several of our neighbors making flying trips to the mountains and bringing back several heads of cattle.

Married, Feb. 23, Mr. George H. Hargett to Miss Nettie Boyce. The bride couple left immediately after the ceremony for Kansas, their future home.

Married, Feb. 22, Mr. J. S. McGregor to Miss Emma Humphries. The bride is a most esteemed and estimable young lady and has many friends. Mr. McGregor should be congratulated on winning such a fair and home loving companion.

Died, at her home, Feb. 18, Miss Nevada Boyd, of the dreadful disease consumption. We tender our heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved family. Since the angel of death has claimed our young friend we hope that she is placed in a more peaceful world than this, where there are no sorrows or tears.

Stepstone.

Clyde Brown has built up quite a butter and egg trade with the railroad men.

L. O. Payne, of Mt. Sterling, was at his old home over Sunday visiting everybody.

J. E. Carmichael and wife spent Sunday with his son J. A. and family in Owingsville.

Ewell Wilson, who had been at work in Lexington, has returned and will crop with his father.

Born, to the wife of Charles Ray and wife, Friday, a daughter. Mother and child doing well, father happy.

Charles Henry, of Olympia, was here visiting his brother W. B. Henry and family several days last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Hargard and son, of Hedges, arrived here on a visit to her father, W. T. Payne, and family Friday.

Wm. Sapp and wife, of Myers, are here visiting his father-in-law, J. F. Wilson and family, on the Lane farm.

Ben Igo has moved into the L. B. Wilson house, near Slate, and will crop on the W. W. Quickbill farm this season.

Charles Steele and Miss Annie Wigginton, of the Preston neighborhood, were married Wednesday of last week.

Joe Ray moved into the B. F. Myers, Jr. house, which is now owned by H. D. Blevins, Monday for this year.

Wm. Moore and wife gave a dance Saturday night to the married and unmarried folks, all enjoying themselves.

Charlie Parker and aunt Miss Mattie Payne spent from Saturday till Monday with R. L. Tipton and family, at Flemingsburg.

Richard Garrett, Jr., left Saturday for Lexington to visit his son Robert home Monday, where he had been from the effects of an operation for some weeks.

E. P. Thompson and family left Saturday for Lexington to visit his wife's kinfolks for a few days, when they will resume their homeward journey, landing at home (Longwood, Mo.) some time next week.

The division of the old Press Muckabee farm, was finally made up on account of the death of Mrs. Muckabee, Saturday by W. H. Thompson, Reuben Barnes and County Surveyor, Havana, and the heirs got the following, so we are informed: W. T. Donohew got the old homestead house and 9 acres of land; Steve Muckabee the old homestead barn, 8 acres and the mill at the Mill; R. M. Monty 38 acres; J. E. Belcher's acre 22 acres, and W. A. Tapp and John E. Reaser the rest, 31 acres between them.

THE WANDERER RETURNS.—It was old home week, and the returned sons and grandsons had been telling with more or less pride of the changes time had wrought for them. At last Edward Jameson spoke: "I went away from here twenty years ago a poor man, with only one dollar in my pocket. I walked the four miles from my father's farm to the station, and there I begged a ride to Boston on a freight car. Last night I drove into town behind a spirited pair of horses, and my purse—guess how much my purse holds today, besides a large check." And Mr. Jameson looked about him with a brilliant smile.

"Fifty dollars."

"Seventy-five."

"A hundred!" shouted the boys, filled with admiration.

"No," said Mr. Jameson, drawing a large, fat purse from his pocket, "none of you has guessed right. When I had paid the 25 cents to Ozy-Hogges for my refreshing drive in the coach I had, besides my trunk cash (which I retained for financial reasons), exactly 4 cents. I have come back, my friends, to stay. Any little jobs of sawing and splitting will be gratefully received."—Youth's Companion.

CURE FOR PILES.—A Chicago doctor says that for the last fifteen years he has used a cure to cure a felon and has yet to see a case it will not cure. The way to apply the cure is as follows: take a fresh egg and crack the shell at the larger end; make a hole just large enough to admit the thumb-nail finger, which ever it may be, and force it in the egg as far as possible without rupturing the shell. Wipe off the egg that runs out and bind a handkerchief or soft cloth around the finger or thumb leaving the egg on over night. This will generally cure in six applications.

GOLDEN SWIM.—Representative Dixon, of Montana, was a lynchpin story. A committee of vigilantes had captured an Irishman and a Swede, and were about to hang them by tying a rope about the neck of each and shoving them off a railroad bridge.

The first man up was the Swede. When he was pushed off the rope came untied and the man struck the water and swam ashore.

The Irishman was next, and when the men were preparing him he said: "Boys, be dem careful about dat's that rope. I can't swim a stroke."

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.—A girl is a useful smart to look so pretty when she is not.

There is a good deal of fun in keeping other people from having any.

There is more money in not having a large family than there is in having it.

It would be real interesting if the heads of families should go on strike for some of the money they earn.

A woman's idea of a good head for business is having a five course dinner when there is enough for three.

HAD THE BEST OF IT.—Ollie Read recently made a trip through Arkansas on horseback. He lost his way and rode up to where a squatter was sitting, his fiddle by his side, says a Washington letter to the New York World.

"Jes'ridin' or a goin' somewhere?" asked the squatter with little show of interest.

"I was going somewhere," answered Ollie, "but I've lost my way, and now I'm just riding. How do you get to the next town?"

"Ridin' or walkin'?"

"Where do I hit the road?"

"Hit it on the side or in the middle, or if you all git close 'nuff you all can hit it with a stick."

"Is there any forks to the road?"

"No forks at all, mister, jes' straight